



**CITY COUNCIL  
ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

03-R-1336

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**A RESOLUTION BY:**

**COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL**

**A RESOLUTION APPOINTING THE CITY OF ATLANTA'S MUNICIPAL (CITY) CLERK TO ACT AS THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION SUPERINTENDENT FOR A CITY OF ATLANTA SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD TO FILL THE VACATED ATLANTA BOARD OF EDUCATION DISTRICT SEAT 2; AUTHORIZING THE CLERK, ACTING AS THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION SUPERINTENDENT, TO CALL FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL THE VACATED ATLANTA BOARD OF EDUCATION DISTRICT SEAT 2 TO BE HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE FULTON COUNTY SPECIAL ELECTION ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2003 AND IF NECESSARY A RUN-OFF ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 25, 2003, TO PROVIDE SERVICES IN REGARDS TO QUALIFYING CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION TO SAID SEAT, AND TO UNDERTAKE ANY OTHER SUCH DUTIES AS ARE NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE HOLDING OF SAID SPECIAL ELECTION; SETTING THE DATE, TIME AND FEE FOR THE QUALIFYING OF CANDIDATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the City has been informed by the Atlanta Board of Education that the position of elected representative for District Seat 2 of the Atlanta Board of Education has become vacant; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to call a special election to fill the vacant Atlanta Board of Education District Seat 2 to be held in conjunction with the Fulton County Special Election on November 4, 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, if necessary, a City of Atlanta run-off election is to be held on November 25, 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 21-2-70.1(b) of the Georgia Election Code and Rules of the State Election Board, Section 2-307 of the Atlanta City Charter, and Section 66-1 of the Atlanta City Code, the governing authority of the City of Atlanta may authorize the city (municipal) clerk to conduct elections in the City of Atlanta and/or to perform any and all functions, required by the Georgia Election Code and Rules of the State Election Board; and



**WHEREAS**, the governing authority of the City, in accordance with Section 21-2-70.1 (b) of the Georgia Election Code and Rules of the State Election Board, shall appoint the municipal election superintendent in a public meeting and the appointment shall be recorded in the minutes of said meeting; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Georgia Election Code and Rules of the State Election Board Section 21-2-131 (a) (1), the governing authority of any municipality, at least 35 days prior to a special election, shall fix and publish a qualifying fee for each municipal office to be filled in the upcoming election; and

**WHEREAS**, further pursuant to the Georgia Election Code and Rules of the State Election Board Section 21-1-131 (a) (1), such fee shall be 3 percent of the total gross salary of the office paid in the preceding calendar year including all supplements authorized by law.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1:** There shall be and is hereby called, as of the date of first publication of notice made by the Municipal Clerk, as Municipal Election Superintendent whose appointment is hereby authorized, a Special Election to fill the position of elected representative for Atlanta Board of Education, District Seat 2 (the "Special Election"), which is to be held in accordance with the Georgia Election Code and Rules of the State Election Board, and in conjunction with the Fulton County Special Election on November 4, 2003, and if necessary a City of Atlanta Run-off Election on November 25, 2003.

**SECTION 2:** In accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, the Municipal Clerk, as the Municipal Election Superintendent for the Special Election, is authorized to undertake such duties as are necessary to accomplish the holding of the Special Election; including the qualifying of candidates.

**SECTION 3:** The total gross salary for Board of Education member paid in, the preceding calendar year 2002 is \$14, 800 and thus the qualifying fee of 3 percent is set at \$444.

**SECTION 4:** Candidates shall qualify to fill the vacant Board of Education Member District Seat 2 by filing a Notice of Candidacy and paying the required fee to the Municipal Election Superintendent, or designated agent, on Monday September 8, Tuesday September 9, Wednesday September 10, Thursday September 11 or Friday September 12, 2003, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time at Atlanta City Hall, 55 Trinity Avenue, Suite 2700.

**SECTION 5:** That all resolutions and parts of resolutions in conflict herewith be and are hereby repealed.

A true copy,

*Rhonda Daughn Johnson*  
Municipal Clerk, CMC

ADOPTED by the Council  
APPROVED by the Mayor

AUG 18, 2003  
AUG 21, 2003

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

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ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 2  
EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 1

Y Smith	B Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	NV Muller	Y Boazman	NV Woolard

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A Resolution by Committee on Council:

Appointing the City of Atlanta's Municipal (City) Clerk to act as the Municipal Election Superintendent for a City of Atlanta Special Election to be held to fill the vacated Atlanta Board of Education District Seat 2: authorizing the Clerk, acting as the Municipal Election Superintendent, to call for a Special Election to fill the vacated Atlanta Board of Education District Seat 2 to be held in conjunction with the Fulton County Special Election on Tuesday, November 4, 2003 and if necessary a Run-off Election on November 25, 2003, to provide services in regards to qualifying candidates for election to said seat, and to undertake any other such duties as are necessary to accomplish the holding of said Special Election; setting the date, time and fee for the qualifying of candidates; and for other purposes.

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